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SATURDAY, MAY 1, 1897

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR COUNTY COMMISSIONER.
 EDITOR LEADER: Will you announce in your
 paper that the undersigned will be a candidate
 for the office of county commissioner, subject
 to the will of the Republican county convention.
 W. C. OLDS,
 Marietta Township.

EDITOR LEADER: Please announce that Mr.
 W. H. Barber, of Grandview township, will be
 a candidate for nomination to the office of
 county commissioner, subject to the decision
 of the Republican county convention, and oblige
 Editor LEADER: The West End of the
 county being entitled to the commissioner.
 Belpre township comes to the front and will
 present the name of S. S. McNeal, of Belpre
 township, at the county convention. McNeal
 has been a resident of the county all his life.
 is a staunch Republican, an ex-teacher and
 well known throughout the county.

EDITOR LEADER: Will you please announce
 that the undersigned will be a candidate
 for the office of county commissioner, subject
 to the will of the Republican convention
 of Washington county.
 JAMES S. ANDERSON,
 Grandview Township.

MARSHALL FIELD, the Chicago mer-
 chant, is said to be engaged to the
 widow of Gen. Phil. Sheridan.

It is said that Vice President Hobart
 lunches on most occasions on simple
 apples, and seldom or never goes to a
 restaurant to fill up a noonday void.

But little interest was taken in the
 judicial convention at Athens on Fri-
 day, the nomination of Judge Jones
 having been conceded for weeks by
 everybody. A number of Washington
 county delegates attended.

GENERAL NELSON MILES will make a
 trip to Europe to make a personal study
 of military features of the war between
 the Greeks and Turks. General Miles
 will embody his sentiments in an official
 report to President McKinley.

TODAY, May 1st, the Tennessee Cen-
 tennial begins operations. Tremendous
 preparations have been making for
 this event; and judging from the
 literature sent out, it will make the
 greatest exposition ever held in the
 South.

ATHENS, OHIO, is very much elated
 over the prospects of having natural
 gas piped to the town. It will be
 brought from a well drilled on Hud-
 son's addition, which is proving to be
 a good gasser. We congratulate Athens
 on the acquisition of this most use-
 ful and labor saving commodity.

A CONTRIBUTOR to the Enquirer makes
 a novel suggestion, which strikes us as
 having as much merit as originality.
 It is to the effect that all members of
 Greek letter societies contribute one
 dollar to help out the cause of the modern
 Greeks. The contributor suggests
 that now is the time for the student to
 remember his Greek.

Underwent a Surgical Operation.

Joe B. Parker underwent a painful
 surgical operation at the hands of Dr.
 Sellers, of Friendly, last Thursday.
 He had been suffering quite often in
 the past five years with a swelling, di-
 rectly over the spinal column, between
 the upper points of the shoulder blade.
 It could never be coaxed to a head, and
 on advice of his physician, he had the
 trouble investigated. The surgeon's
 knife found, next the vertebra, a col-
 lection of pus, possibly caused by a
 bruise, and which could not burrow its
 way to the surface. After thoroughly
 cleansing the cavity, and using anti-
 septic, the Doctor discharged Joe,
 who felt as if he had just unloaded
 "The Old Man of the Sea."—Matamoros
 Mail.

Organ Recital.

At the First M. E. church on Friday
 evening next, May 7th, will be given a
 musical entertainment that will em-
 brace some of the most attractive num-
 bers ever heard in Marietta. The ser-
 vices of Mr. Clarence Eddy, one of the
 most famous concert organists in Amer-
 ica, have been secured; and beside
 him will be heard Miss Maud Thomas,
 reader, and Mr. Carl Wright, the phe-
 nomenal young violinist. No words of
 praise are needed, for these people are
 well-known, talented performers, and
 are sure to call out an audience of gen-
 erous proportions.

If I Should Die Tonight.
 If I should die tonight, and you should come
 to my cold corpse and kneel,
 Clasp my hand, and try to show the sorrow
 and grief you feel.
 I say, if I should die tonight, and you should
 come in deepest grief and woe,
 And say, "Here's that girl that I love,"
 I might arise in my large white cravat,
 And say to you, "What's that?"

If I should die tonight, and you should come
 to my cold corpse and kneel,
 Clasp my hand, and try to show the sorrow
 and grief you feel.
 I say, if I should die tonight, and you should
 come to me there and then
 And in earnest, just shut that ten
 Dollars that you owe, I might arise
 The while—but I'd drop dead again.

Just try a 10 cent box of Cascarets,
 the finest liver and bowel regulator
 ever made.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Topics and Texts at the Various Churches
 for Tomorrow.

(This column is a permanent feature of the
 Leader and a cordial invitation is extended to
 the pastor of each church in the city to report to
 us on Friday of each week the subject of the
 following Sabbath discourse, together
 with special services that may prove of in-
 terest.)

German M. E. Church.—Morning
 topic: "Christ Our Refuge." Evening:
 "Seek First the Kingdom of God".

Unitarian Church.—Morning subject:
 The Importance of Belief. Evening:
 By What Right do We Criticize and
 Censure Each Other? Young people's
 meeting at six o'clock. Subject: Life
 and Its Duties.

Baptist Church.—The morning topic
 will be, "Christ Our Passover." The
 evening theme: "The Degradation of
 Useful Things."

First Congregational Church.—The
 subject of the morning sermon will be
 "The Supreme Claims of Religion." In
 the evening the Pastor will begin a
 series of sermons on "Great Things in
 the Plan of Salvation," speaking first of
 "The Great Need."

First M. E. Church.—Morning: Ser-
 mon by the pastor. Opportunity to
 unite with the church on probation or
 by letter at both morning and evening
 service. Special music. Strangers
 cordially invited.

Gilman Avenue M. E. Church.—
 Preaching morning and evening. The
 anniversary of the dedication of the
 church will be observed. The public
 invited. Class meeting at 8 p. m.

Presbyterian Church.—The pastor
 will preach as usual. Morning subject:
 "The Voice from the Mercy Seat." Eve-
 ning: "Emergencies are Opportunities."

Church of Christ.—Saturday and Sun-
 day evening at 7 o'clock. Evangelist
 Thompson will preach. Regular wor-
 ship Sunday at 10:30 a. m.

RENO.

Interesting News Letter From One of Our
 Best Newsgatherers.

The commencement exercises at the
 High School will take place Friday eve-
 ning May 7th. A class of seven will
 be graduated with Fred Mitchell as
 valedictorian and George Harness as
 salutatorian. Admission 15 cents. Re-
 served seats 10 cents extra.

Miss Olive Miller, who has been ser-
 viously ill, is much better and will be
 able to be graduated with her class.

The many friends of Mr. Will Cain
 will be glad to learn that he is better
 and hopes of his speedy recovery are
 now entertained.

Mrs. Magrath and niece, Mrs. Lou.
 Holtz, of Marietta, spent a few days
 with Mrs. Chas. Miller last week.

We are glad to learn that Mr. Duff,
 the first principal of our High School,
 expects to be here to attend the Alumni
 Banquet.

Mr. McCall returned to his home,
 Caldwell after having held some ex-
 cellent services at the Miller school
 house.

There seems to be universal satis-
 faction in the reappointment of Mr.
 L. E. Booher as superintendent of our
 schools.

Mr. W. H. Thornalley expects to leave
 next Thursday for an extended visit to
 his old home in Iowa. M. J. O.

Voluntary Manslaughter.

SISTERSVILLE, W. Va., April 29.—The
 jury in the murder trial of John R.
 Dulin, for killing the negro Walter
 Poindexter at the Plum Run oil field
 some months ago, brought in a verdict
 last night of "voluntary man-
 slaughter." The penalty for this
 crime is from one to five years in the
 penitentiary. Dulin was sentenced to
 three years.

Oil Market.

Tions	91
Pennsylvania	81
Marshallville	71
Cleveland	71
Newcastle	62
North Lima	52
South Lima	42
Indiana	42

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

A. W. Womack, of Parkersburg, and
 Margaret Packett, of Belpre.

Don't Tobacco Spit and Smoke
 Your Life Away.

If you want to quit tobacco using easily
 and forever, be made well, strong,
 magnetic, full of new life and vigor,
 take No-To-Bac, the wonder-worker
 that makes weak men strong. Many
 grain pounds in ten days. Over 999-
 000 cured. Buy No-To-Bac from your
 own druggist, who will guarantee a
 cure. Booklet and sample mailed free.
 Ad. Sterling Remedy Co., Chicago or
 New York.

A Cross Bargain.

One of the closest bargains on record
 is thus described by a Phillips (Me.)
 man. He says the trade involved a pair
 of steers with a sled, a horse and sled,
 and a side of beef. Finally he offered
 to the other man a big cut of the beef
 to bind the bargain, and he supposed it
 would be speedily settled, until his
 friend commenced to hesitate and took
 the beef over critically. Finally he
 said: "Now, William, if you'll make it
 one more rib it's a trade."

Poisoned by a Thermometer.

A thermometer was left near a stove
 in a sleeping-room at Dusseldorf, Ger-
 many, recently, and the fumes from the
 mercury poisoned two children so that
 their lives were saved with difficulty.

PALACE FOR TURF KINGS.

Splendid Car Built for John R.
 Gentry and Robert J.

Finest Ever Made for Horses—Details
 of Construction and Equipments—
 Retinue That Will Attend
 Their Equine Majesties.

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One of the most luxuriously-con-
 structed traveling cars ever turned out
 of the Pullman shops for any purpose
 will be completed and forwarded to
 New York about May 1. It is fit for
 a king's service; and it is quite fitting
 that it should be, for it is intended for
 the comfort, not of one king, but two—
 "John R. Gentry" and "Robert J."—
 "Kings of the Turf." The former is well
 known as the world's champion har-
 ness horse, and the latter is less speed-
 y by only one second in the record runs.

The plans were prepared by the own-
 er of these famous racers, Banker Lewis
 G. Tewksbury, of New York; and as
 much care has been devoted to the mat-
 ter as though the horses were veritable
 monarchs of nations. The car will be
 60 feet in length, three-fourths of which
 space will be devoted to the horses' stalls,
 and the other fourth to the quarters
 of the retinue of attendants who will
 accompany their equine majesties when
 they travel. In the stable compartment
 there will be two roomy stalls, heavily
 padded and elegantly decorated in gold
 and black, the colors of the stable.
 Here the two kings will have their
 quarters. In addition to these stalls there
 will be two others for the reception of the
 two runners which will travel with the
 stable as pacemakers. The woodwork of the
 stable portion of the car is of chestnut and
 oak.

Adjoining the stable will be a sumptu-
 ously fitted drawing-room for the use
 of Trainer E. R. Downe and his assist-
 ants. No expense has been spared in
 furnishing this room, which rivals in
 luxury of its appointments any state-
 room at present on wheels. There will
 be six sleeping berths in this section,
 and four in the stable portion. This is
 also intended as a lounge room to be
 used by Trainer Downe, Mr. John
 Haines, manager of the stable, and their
 immediate assistants. Opening from
 this room will be another, fitted up as
 a private office, with a roll-top desk for
 the use of Mr. Haines, who can attend
 to his correspondence and business mat-
 ters while the two kings of the turf
 are eating their oats in their elegant
 quarters close by, and the whole stable
 is speeding on at a pace with which even
 John R. Gentry cannot compete. All
 the portieres, carpets, pictures and fur-
 niture of these luxurious quarters will
 be in colors that harmonize with the
 oak woodwork, which will be decorated
 in gold and black.

At the other end of the car space will
 be left for suitcases, trunks, and the
 various paraphernalia of a travel-
 ing stable. Here also will be the quar-
 ters of the attendants. Among them
 will be a farrier who has had sole charge
 of the hoofs of the two racers ever since
 they were added to the Tewksbury sta-
 ble. With him will go a portable forge
 that can be set up near the track, so
 that an accident just prior to a race can
 be remedied without delay.

Even the outside of the car will excite
 admiration wherever it is seen. It will
 be painted in old gold, and lettered in
 black and gold and ultramarine. The
 lettering will announce the names of
 the royal passengers, and give their re-
 cord times. In the center will be blaz-
 oned the monogram of Lewis G. Tewks-
 bury, the owner.

Meanwhile the horse costumers, har-
 ness makers and sulky builders have
 been hard at work on an equipment for
 the royal paces which will be in keep-
 ing with the sumptuous car in which
 they travel. In this outfit will be sent
 20 feet square, to be set up for the use
 of the stable attendants at the tracks.
 The entrance of this tent is to be draped
 with the national colors, and the awn-
 ing at the front supported by poles
 from which will fly silken streamers
 in black and gold, bearing the names
 John R. Gentry and Robert J.

The color idea is to be carried out to
 the minutest detail in all the fittings of
 both car and tent. Even the pitchforks,
 soaking tubs, pails, brooms, brushes
 and whips will be colored old gold with
 a stripe or a border of black. On the
 old gold blankets of each of the great
 pacers will be displayed the name of
 the horse in the center and the owner's
 monogram in black in one corner. All
 the attendants are to wear gray trousers
 and black coats and caps with narrow
 military gold braid. The harness, of
 course, is all black, but it will be gold-
 mounted and in harmony with the rest
 of the stable equipment.

"The outfit will be the most elaborate
 ever seen," remarked Mr. Tewksbury,
 after describing his wonderful special
 car as above to the writer. "I intend
 that John R. Gentry and Robert J. shall
 travel like veritable monarchs as they
 are. We can't have kings going around
 like ordinary animals, you know, even
 in this anti-monarchical country."

HARRY D. JONES.

Very Like Him.
 Photographer—Your son ordered this
 likeness from me.
 Father—It is certainly very much
 like him. Has he paid for it?
 Photographer—Not yet.
 Father—That is still more like him.
 —Fun.

Amount of Sleep We Need.
 A physiological writer asserts that up
 to 20 a youth needs nine hours' sleep,
 and an adult should have eight or nine.
 The neglect of this rule results in ex-
 haustion, excitability, and physical and
 intellectual disorder.

Reason Dethroned.
 Collier—Is your husband still in the
 asylum, Mrs. Lakeside?
 Mrs. Lakeside (of Chicago)—Yes, and
 the poor dear is getting crazier every
 week. In his last letter he says he
 wants to pay his debts.—N. Y. Weekly.



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FREAKS OF THE MISSOURI.

Farmers Who Find Their Fields Have Dis-
 appeared Over Night.

In the May "St. Nicholas" Frank A.
 Spearman has a paper entitled "A Shif-
 ting Boundary," which is particularly
 timely just at present, as it tells of the
 way the Missouri River has of sudden-
 ly changing its boundaries. Mr. Spear-
 man says:

Of course you've heard of the curious
 freaks of the Missouri River—the "Big
 Muddy"; how the sudden, treacherous
 mountain waters roll down in mighty
 floods from Montana and Wyoming, ri-
 cochet from side to side of the broad
 valley they have eaten deep into the
 soft prairies, and pour headlong into
 the Mississippi near St. Louis; how,
 night and day, winter and summer, the
 twisting torrent shifts its channel, cuts
 its banks, undermines railroads, aston-
 ishes the muskrats, keeps the bridge
 guards, and sets the farmers crazy.
 For just think of it: the Nebraska
 farmer whose land stretches along the
 river goes to bed thinking he will cut
 his broad acres of golden wheat in the
 morning; but lo! in the night that mad-
 cap river has entered his waving fields,
 and like snow they have melted away.
 Grain, fences, trees, buildings, land—
 are gone! And a great, sullen, yellow
 flood boils and eddies where his harvest
 smiled yesterday.

Next week, very likely, the reckless
 stream will make his neighbor across
 the river a present of a hundred or
 more acres, just because he doesn't
 need them. Of course it was natural
 for a man who lost his land that way
 to look longingly across the river, and
 think, after a while, that the newly
 made land over there belonged to him;
 and many a wearisome lawsuit has
 been begun to recover title to "made"
 land which lies, maybe, exactly where
 the lost farm lay, but on the other side
 of the river. Perhaps there is some
 equity in such a claim; but the trouble
 is, that sort of thing is going on all the
 time, and the courts said they couldn't
 keep track of such pranks; that lands
 acquired by accretion—mark that word
 —should belong to the farmer who
 owned the river-bank where they were
 thrown up; that if the river took your
 farm, you would have to fish it out of
 the stream you lost it in; at least, you
 needn't ask the courts to give you an-
 other for it.

Constipation is a deadly enemy to
 health; Burdock Blood Bitters is a
 deadly enemy to constipation.

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 ing sensations that combine to make
 up the tortures of any itching disease
 of the skin are instantly relieved and
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 on his hip. He took two bottles of
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 Wm. Kirby, Akron, Erie Co., N. Y.

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On May 4th and 5th the C & M Ry. will sell
 excursion tickets to St. Louis, Mo., at rate of
 one fare for the round trip on account of North
 American Gymnastic Union, National Festival
 and Entertainment, National Association Local
 Fire Insurance Agents. Tickets will be good
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 11th, 1897.
 For further information call on or address
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As we never associate our name with anything that is not thor-
 oughly reliable, you can rest assured that this seed will prove emi-
 nently satisfactory. Orders left for Fertilizer by mail will receive
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